

2015 Free Vendor Workshops

111 N.W. 1st Street, Miami, Florida - Stephen P. Clark Center 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon Contact us to register (305) 375-5773 18th Floor, Conference Room 18-3

How to Prepare an Invitation to Bid (ITB)

2015 ITB **Workshop Dates:**

- February 10
- May 12
- August 11
- November 10

How to enroll and register as a vendor. What is the difference?

eProcurement: On-line services to access and download free solicitations

What does the County purchase?

What is a Bid announcement? Steps in the bidding process

Governing Legislation pertaining to procurement:

- Living Wage
- Local Preference
- Cone of Silence User Access Program (UAP)

How are bids evaluated by the County?

What happens after a contract is awarded? Various types of award methods

Performance Bonds/Bid Bonds/Insurance Requirements

The four major sections of a bid and important bid requirements

What is the difference between a "responsive" and "responsible" bidder?

How to become certified as part of the County's **Certification Programs**

How to Prepare an RFP/RFQ Proposal

2015 RFP/RF0 **Workshop Dates**

- February 17
- **May 19**
- August 18
- November 17

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What does the County purchase via an RFP or RFQ?

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What are the six major sections to an RFP or an RFQ?

What happens after an RFP is awarded?

How to qualify as a "responsive" and/or "responsible proposer"

How to become certified as part of the County's **Certification Programs**

What are the steps in the proposal process from preparation to award? How are proposals evaluated by the County?

How to Prepare an Architectural & Engineering (A & E) Proposal

2015 A&E **Workshop Dates**

- Feb. 24
- May 26
- Aug. 25
- Nov. 24

Process for obtaining Technical Certification and Prequalification

How to enroll and register as a vendor. What is the difference?

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How does the Equitable Distribution Program (EDP) work?

How to properly respond to a Notice to Professional Consultant

Two-tier A&E solicitation and evaluation processes

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